

**Break the bias**

This music video asks us all to support women and stop discrimination. Enjoy the song!

**Tasks**

Do the preparation task first. Then watch the video and do the exercises.

**Preparation task**

Match the definitions (a–j) with the vocabulary (1–10).

**Vocabulary**

1. .... bias
2. .... a stereotype
3. .... gender
4. .... equal
5. .... to yell
6. .... discrimination
7. .... to spread
8. .... to fix
9. .... to rise up
10. .... lethal

**Definition**

- a. to shout
- b. preferring or going against a particular person, thing or group in an unfair way
- c. your sense of who you are as male, female or another identity
- d. treating a person or group of people differently
- e. a set idea about what someone is like, especially an idea that is wrong
- f. the same in importance
- g. extremely dangerous
- h. to take part in a rebellion
- i. to affect more and more people or places
- j. to repair

**Task 1**

Match the two parts of the sentences.

**Part 1**

1. .... Why does my gender mean
2. .... Women are beautiful and still as strong
3. .... My only worth isn't cooking
4. .... My only job isn't being
5. .... It's time for us
6. .... We just wanna
7. .... All this hate
8. .... They want us to
9. .... But we got

**Part 2**

- a. as lions.
- b. a wife.
- c. that I should just be quiet?
- d. sit down and shut up.
- e. be equal.
- f. and cleaning.
- g. plans to rise up.
- h. to get this all right.
- i. is real lethal.

**Task 2**

Complete the sentences with words from the box.

so	down	as (x2)	what
be (x2)	up	a	in

1. Women are beautiful and still ..... strong ..... lions.
2. We just wanna ..... equal.
3. The bias, it starts ..... the mind.
4. My only job isn't being ..... wife.
5. Taught to ..... timid and weak.
6. There is ..... much hope.
7. They want us to sit ..... and shut .....
8. We have to understand exactly ..... we're doing this for.

**Discussion**

What's the main message of the song for you?

## Answers

### Preparation task

1. b
2. e
3. c
4. f
5. a
6. d
7. i
8. j
9. h
10. g

### Task 1

1. c
2. a
3. f
4. b
5. h
6. e
7. i
8. d
9. g

### Task 2

1. as | as
2. be
3. in
4. a
5. be
6. so
7. down | up
8. what